# **California Horse Racing Board**

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# REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDS

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# Report for the Week of Friday, January 28, 2020 Through Sunday, February 2, 2020

## **TUESDAY**

1/28/20<sup>1</sup> Dark Day Duties

Renee Sheward was attending steward.

1/28/20<sup>2</sup> **Entries / Draw** 

The race office was open this morning accepting entries for Friday, January 31, 2020, and Saturday, February 1, 2020. Two hundred two (202) horses were entered for the weekend racing Program. With one hundred ninety-two (192) horses drawing in. There are twelve (12) races programmed for Friday night facing starter Ken Flower with a post time of 6:10 PM. Saturday's race card is programmed with twelve races (12) with a Post time of 6:10 PM

#### **WEDNESDAY**

 $1/29/20^{1}$ 

## **Scratch Time for Fridays Card**

There were numerous driver changes with no scratches for Friday night's card. Scratch time is Wednesday at 9:00 AM.

#### **THURSDAY**

 $1/30/20^1$ 

#### Scratch Time for Saturday's Card

At scratch time for Saturday's card there were numerous driver Changes with no scratches. Scratch time is Thursday at 9:00 AM

## Friday

 $1/31/20^1$ 

### **Qualifying Entries**

The race office was open this morning accepting entries for qualifying races to be conducted this evening prior to the regular program. The resultant qualifying sheet showed one qualifying race to be conducted before the regular pari-mutual race.

## 1/31/20<sup>2</sup> **Qualifying Races**

One qualifying race was conducted at 5:30 PM. Five (5) of the six (6) horses participating were successful in their qualifying effort.

## 1/31/20<sup>3</sup> **Race Sixth**

Horse #8 DONTCLOSEYOUREYES-trainer-George Reider was claimed by trainer Edwin Quevedo Sacramento, California for price of four thousand eight hundred (\$4,800.00) \* dollars. Owner Fabiola Quevedo, Sacramento, California.

## 1/31/20<sup>4</sup> **Race Eight**

After the official sign was posted driver Luke Plano who drove #7 WESTERN DEVIL was informed by the Stewards that he was being cited a two hundred (\$200.00) dollar fine for having his foot out of the Stirrups. Second offense.

## Ruling #10

Driver LUKE PLANO, who drove #7 WESTERN DEVIL, in the Eighth Race on Friday, January 31, 2020 is hereby fined the sum of Two Hundred (\$200.00)\* dollars for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1530 (Cases not Covered-Driving with foot out of stirrup/urging by contact). Second offense in the last sixty (60) days.

## 1/31/20<sup>5</sup> Eleventh Race

Driver JAMES LACKEY who drove horse #6 FOX VALLEY B GUMP finishing third was sited a one hundred (\$100.00) dollar. Fine for Violation of the CHRB whipping rule #1734 (d) (Whipping - Drivers may not use the whip more than three (3) times in succession without giving the horse a chance to respond). First offense in the last sixty days.

## Ruling #11

Driver JAMES LACKEY who drove #6 FOX VALLEY B GUMP, in the Eleventh Race on Friday, January 21, 2020 is hereby fined the sum of ONE HUNDRED (\$100.00)\* dollars for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1734 (d) (Whipping-drivers may not use the whip more than three (3) times in succession without giving the horse a chance to respond). First offense in the last sixty (60) days.

# 1/31/20<sup>6</sup> DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	156	\$38,407.80
SCOTWinc	N/A	\$401,386.10
Out of state + ADW	N/A	\$491,380.50
Total	156	\$931,174.40

## **Saturday**

2/1/20<sup>1</sup> First Race

Driver JOHN ROBERTS who drove horse #3 MITCH MC BLUEGRASS, finishing first was informed by the Stewards after the official sign was posted that he was being fined one hundred \$100.00) dollars for violation of having his foot out of the stirrup. First offense in the last sixty days.

#### Ruling #14

Driver JOHN ROBERTS, who drove #3 MITCH MC BLUEGRASS, in the First Race on Saturday, February 1, 2020 is hereby fined the sum of One Hundred (\$100.00)\* dollars for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1530 (Cases not Covered-Driving with foot out of stirrup/urging by contact).

## $2/1/20^2$ Fourth Race

Starter Ken Fowler requested Driver PIERRE GIRARD driver of horse #5 MEAN SISTER OFLODI finishing seventh be fined fifty (\$50.00) dollars for failure to come up into position behind the starting gate.

## Ruling #12

Driver PIERRE GIRARD who drove #5 MEAN SISTER OF LODI, in the Fourth Race on Saturday, February 1, 2020, is hereby fined the sum of Fifty (\$50.00)\* dollars for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1731 (g) (Driver infractions-fail to come up into position).

## 2/1/20<sup>3</sup> **Fifth Race**

The inquiry sign was posted against horse #5 MY FRISKIE BOY Driver GERALD LONGO for possible interference in the stretch to horse #1 WINEONEFORDOUG. After film review the Stewards unanimously decided no placing was needed, due to the interfered horse finishing first. Driver GERALD LONGO was hereby fined one hundred (\$100.00) dollars for violation of the CHRB rule #1721 (b).

## Ruling #15

Driver GERALD LONGO who drove #5 MY FRISKIE BOY, in the Fifth Race on Saturday, February 1, 2020 is hereby fined the sum of ONE HUNDRED (\$100.00)\* dollars for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1721 (b) (Jostle, strike, hook wheels, or interfere with another horse or driver)

## 2/1/20<sup>4</sup> Sixth Race / Scratch

Horse #4 PEDIGREE BLUE trainer Kathleen Plested was deemed injured by track Veterinarian Eduardo De La Cruz. Horse was scratched and placed on the veterinarian list.

# 2/1/20<sup>5</sup> Seventh Race Claim

Horse #1 TWO BEAT, trainer Edward Hernandez, was claimed by Edwin Quevedo owner and trainer, Sacramento, California, for a claiming price of three thousand (\$3,000.00) dollars. Horse #2 OUTLAW BLUE BY YOU, trainer Jacob Cutting, was claimed by Marco Rios trainer, owner, of Sacramento, California, for a price of three thousand seven hundred fifty (\$3,750.00) dollars.

# 2/1/20<sup>6</sup> Eleventh Race

Driver LUKE PLANO who drove horse #7 PADDY MURPHY finishing fourth is hereby fined the sum of three hundred (\$300.00) dollars for having his feet out of the stirrups. Third offense. Driver LUKE PLANO was informed to meet with the stewards before the programed race card on Friday, February 7, 2020.

## Ruling #13

Driver LUKE PLANO, who drove #7 PADDY MURPHY, in the Eleventh Race on Saturday, February 1, 2020 is hereby fined the sum of Three Hundred (\$300.00)\* dollars for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1530 (Cases not Covered-Driving with foot out of stirrup/urging by contact). Third offense in the last sixty (60) days.

# 2/1/20<sup>7</sup> Twelfth Race / Driver Change

Driver JAMES LACKEY contacted the stewards requesting a driver change on horse #1 VELOCITY LAYLA in the twelfth race. JACOB CUTTING was named to drive, and the appropriate notifications were made.

# 2/1/20<sup>8</sup> <u>Scratches</u>

First race horse #5 BUNKERHILL BILL- trainer George Reider –scratched-injured –Dr. Eduardo De La Cruz. Refund: \$275.63

Sixth race horse #4 PEDIGREE BLUE CHIP- trainer Kathleen Plested-scratched- injured-Dr. Eduardo De La Cruz vet De La Cruz.

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# **DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

On track	168	\$41,515.70
SCOTWinc	N/A	\$510,908.40
Out of state + ADW	N/A	\$423,207.24
Total	168	\$975,631.34

	Wed 1/29	Thurs 1/30	Fri 1/31	Sat 2/01	Sun 2/02	Week	Meet
Accidents	D	D	0	0	0	0	0
Cal-Bred Races	Α	Α	0	0	0	0	0
Claims	R	R	1	2	0	3	7
Disqualifications	K	K	0	0	0	0	1
Inquiries	D	D	1	0	0	1	5
Refunds	Α	А	0	2	0	0	36
Rulings	Y	Y	2	3	0	5	7
Voided Claims	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

**VETERINARIAN RECOMMENDED SCRATCHES** 

Date	Race	No.	Horse	Trainer	Reason	Vet	Refund
FEB-1	1	5	BUNKERHILL BILL	GEORGE	INJURED	EDUARDO	\$275.63
				REIDER		DE LA CRUZ	
FEB-1	6	4	PEDIGREE BLUE CHIP	KATHLEEN	INJURED	EDUARDO	\$71.10
				PLESTED		DE LA CRUZ	

Respectfully submitted,

Renee Sheward, Steward		
Rod Newhart, Steward		
Rich Williams, Steward		
Tom McCarthy, Safety Steward		